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Via Electronic Mail

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Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
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Re: <u>Question 13, Economic development Provisions of the Community Reinvestment Act Regulations Docket (R-1769) and RIN (7100-AG29)</u>

We are concerned about the impact Question 13 in the recent NPR for CRA Reform will have on the startup ecosystem and community, and have written a comment letter as such.

TaskEasy provides lawn mowing and snow removal services and works closely with homeowners, property managers, and real estate professionals who can upload entire property lists to their client portal, allowing for easy one-time or recurring scheduling of services. We aim to simplify life by connecting people and technology to provide hassle-free yard care. Since our consumer launch in April 2013, we have performed over one million tasks in over 12,000 cities across all 50 states and have established a network of more than 10,000 screened and rated contractors.

Since Kickstart's investment, our revenue has increased from < \$500K at investment to now approaching \$100M. Additionally, when **Kickstart first invested we had 15 employees, 71% of which were LMI. Today we have 75 employees, 68% of which are LMI. Since 2014, 19 of our employees have shifted from LMI to non-LMI status.** We're happy to be employing top notch talent with the ability to build their careers with

TaskEasy while increasing their earning potential and enjoy an improved quality of life while contributing to building a platform that provides jobs for thousands of contractors across the country.

In late 2017 we closed on a \$21M Series C round. Our investors, including Kickstart, have enabled us to provide world-class services directly to consumers and property portfolio managers while helping reliable contractors build a sustainable business. We ask that you please consider the impacts of Question 13 and reconsider.

-Ken Davis, CEO